

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: ESTC, PGOV, NI  
SUBJECT: NIGERIAN BOYCOTT OF FIRMS DOING BUSINESS WITH SOUTH  
AFRICA

REF: (A) STATE 245140 (B) STATE 240819

1. COLLINS/ROCKWELL STILL WAITING TO SIGN CONTRACT. SIGNING MAY  
TAKE PLACE OCT. 14 OR 17. BOYCOTT CLAUSE REPORTEDLY HAS BEEN  
REMOVED FROM THIS SPECIFIC CONTRACT THANKS TO INTERCESSION OF  
COMPANY'S LOCAL NIGERIAN AGENT, A CHIEF WITH GOOD CONNECTIONS.  
REMAINING TEXT CONCISE, CLEAR AND BUSINESSLIKE. ANYTHING MAY  
HAPPEN, HOWEVER, AT SIGNING CEREMONY.
2. PROBLEM STILL LOOMS FOR TWO ADDITIONAL LARGER CONTRACTS WHICH  
COMPANY AND MOD MUST NEGOTIATE IN NEAR FUTURE.
3. DURING OCT. 11 VISIT TO MOD LEGAL OFFICE COLLINS REPS  
REPORTEDLY OBSERVED SEVEN CONTRACTS CONCERNING OTHER COMPANIES  
ON DESKS OF MINISTRY LEGAL ADVISORS. ALL OF THEM CONTAINED  
BOYCOTT CLAUSE.
4. CIRCULAR SENT TO NIGERIAN EMBASSIES  
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(REF B) IS MISLEADING.  
PROHIBITION IS NOT LIMITED TO CONSTRUCTION FIELD BUT APPEARS TO  
EMBRACE ALL RPRODUCT AND SERVICE SECTORS.  
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